

M. ZVEREFF as the "Professor," according to a costume design of the American artist, Robert Edmond Jones, whose drawings have been adopted by the "Ballet Russe."

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"Ballet Russe" Grace and "Chin Chin" Harmony Lure Playgoers

Belasco—Ballet Russe. National—"Chin Chin."

Three nights of Serge de Diaghileff's Russian Ballet are tendered to the diversion seeking Washington public this week, and one of them is over. Two chances remain to view this extraordinary invasion of the hum-drum American amusement world, which is guaranteed to arouse a wholly new set of emotions in the tired business man, unless he is altogether obtuse to the influences of grace and beauty. The few previous occasions when this has had glimpses of the Russian dancers' art, such as the passing flights of Mme. Pavlova and her company and last year's visit of the organization now with us, have been marked by the most eager enthusiasm on the part of local playgoers. While the attendance at the Belasco Theatre last night was good, there were enough vacant seats to indicate a slight waning of interest.

Reduced to a formula, the Russian Ballet is simply a combination of the noblest music with the utmost grace and skill of bodily motion, a certain wildness of imagination and thoroughgoing artistic sincerity and taste. Just why such a compound has to be brought out of Russia and cannot be produced at home or in nearer Europe is too hard a nut for present cracking. At any rate the rare opportunity is here and ready to be seized.

Personal interest in last night's program centered in the dancing of Waslav Nijinsky, now generally acknowledged as the greatest among the male devotees, and a leading spirit also in the artistic direction of the ballets. He appeared first with Mme. Olga Spessitzkova in the wonderfully delicate fantasy called "The Princesses' Chant," with Tchaikovsky music and scenery and costumes by M. Bakst. Nijinsky's second appearance is as Arlequin in the playfully humorous pantomime ballet "Carnaval," with music by Robert Schuman and more Bakst decorations.

The other numbers were "Les Sylphides," a fairy reverie comparatively conventional in sentiment, but full of the ethereal grace of Chopin, and "Princess Igor," an outburst of wild barbaric vigor depicting the dances of some primitive wandering tribe, to the music of M. A. Borodine.

Other delightful dancers of the company who appeared last evening are Mlle. Lydia Lopokova, Alexandrina Wasilewska, Lydia Sokolova, and Sophie Pliansk. The uniform grace and skill of the remaining dancers who make up the varying poetic pictures are one of the many amazing features of the entertainment.

A splendid symphony orchestra of thirty pieces, under the leadership of M. Pierre Monteux, gave two entr'actes numbers in addition to the music accompanying the ballets.

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dy and dance evolutions of the amusing kind. The film features include cartoon comedy, the Sellig Tribune news weekly and the big Vitaphone feature, "The Firm of Girdlestone," in which Edna Purgath and Charles Rock, the English actor, are pictured in a thrilling and interesting story of fine characterisation.

Moore's Garden—Charles Chaplin.

Ask any one of the thousands who passed with laughter at the comic capers of Charles Chaplin yesterday at Moore's Garden Theatre in his latest film play, "Behind the Screen," and he will tell you that Chaplin is worth every dollar of the \$75,000 that the Mutual Company is paying this "comic champion." "Behind the Screen" accomplishes a twofold purpose. First and foremost it supplies laughter. Secondly, it satisfies curiosity.

Chaplin as the bungling, clumsy property man is seen at his best, and leaves destruction and merriment in his wake. Other pictures shown included a strong, tense drama entitled "Mistaken," featuring Verona Valdes and other stars, "Real Life," a novel and realistic picture of a magazine, "A Mutt and Jeff Animated Cartoon," "The Boarding House," and the Garden Topical Digest.

This program will be continued until Wednesday inclusive and on Thursday and Friday Margaretta Fischer, the beautiful film star, will return to the screen after a long absence in "The Pearl of Paradise." The comedy portion of the bill on these days will include Nettie Compton in a clever farcial conceit, "Maid to Order."

On Saturday one of America's most popular dramatic stars, Billie Burke, will be seen in her greatest screen triumph, "Peggy." Special musical accompaniments by the Garden Symphony Orchestra add to the effectiveness of the various film offerings.

Moore's Strand—Douglas Fairbanks.

Douglas Fairbanks, who has gained quite as much fame before the camera as behind the footlights, headed a tip-top double feature program yesterday at Moore's Strand Theatre in one of his cleverest film vehicles, "Manhattan Madness," to large crowds of pleased picturegoers. It is a play of the East and West, displaying the athletic and effervescent star in chaps, dress suit and every gradation of attire between. Steve O'Dare, the hero of the story, goes East from his cattle ranch on the plains, soon tires of New York. He declares there isn't a thrill in all Manhattan Island, and being overheard by an Easterner, the latter offers to bet Steve that if he sticks around little old New York for another week he will receive the thrill of his life.

The other section of the program included Slim Somerville in "His Busted Trust" and the Strand Topical Review. This program will be continued until Tuesday inclusive and on Wednesday and Thursday Wilfred Lucas and Pauline Stark will be featured in "A Woman's Fight." The added attraction on these days will be "A Call to Vampire," in which Fay Tincher plays the leading role.

On Friday and Saturday Mr. Moore announces the return engagement on the screen of filmdom's idol, Clara Kimball Young, in "The Common Law." Special musical accompaniments by the Strand Symphony Orchestra adds to the effectiveness of the film plays.

Poll's—"Little Girl that God Forgot."

The attraction at Poll's this week is "The Little Girl that God Forgot." A review of the play appeared in yesterday's issue of The Washington Herald.

Gaiety—Burlesque.

"Blotch" Cooper's "Globe Trotters" are appearing at the Gaiety this week. A review of the attraction appeared in yesterday's issue of The Washington Herald.

Loew's Columbia—Mae Murray.

Mae Murray heads the program at Loew's Columbia this week. A review of the film appeared in yesterday's issue of The Washington Herald.

Lycium—Burlesque.

A new burlesque show is being presented at the Lycium this week. The burlesque was reviewed in yesterday's issue of The Washington Herald.

ABSORPTION OF GOLD INFLOW BANKERS' TOPIC

The plan for American bankers to buy up short-term obligations of foreign countries, and the means of checking the unprecedented flow of gold to the United States, was favored by some members of the advisory council of the Federal Reserve Board, who met in executive session at the Treasury yesterday with the board to consider the problem. Twelve bankers, among the foremost in America, constitute the advisory council, and are headed by J. P. Morgan. Mr. Morgan is in Europe.

The opinion is said to have been voiced by many of the financiers that it might be possible for most of the gold to be absorbed in this country without leading to undue speculation.

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WOMEN'S LOYAL LEGION HOLDS ANNUAL DINNER

Flag and Not Dollar Emblem of America, Says Dr. Gordon.

The annual banquet of the Legion of Loyal Women was held last night at the Raleigh Hotel. Miss Grace M. Pierce, vice president, acted as toastmaster.

Responding to the toast, "Modern Patriotism," Rev. James M. Gordon, pastor of the First Congregational Church, said that while many said that the American emblem was the American dollar, the American emblem was the American flag. Dr. Gordon touched upon the deportation of 80,000 Belgians to Germany and declared the time had arrived for patriotic women of this country to arise and demand a protest against such action.

A letter was read from Mrs. John A. Logan, who was unable to be present. The speakers included P. T. Moran, president of the Chamber of Commerce; Col. John McElroy, Isaac Gans, Gen. John C. Quinn, Mrs. Mary Logan Tucker, Mrs. Thomas Calver, Mrs. Augusta Knight, Mrs. Ada H. Weiss, Miss Cora Curry and Mrs. Saunders Johnston.

A poem, by Dr. Thomas Calver, dedicated to the organization, was read by him.

BARONESS LOSES WATCH.

Wife of Austrian Charge Reports Loss of Wrist Timepiece.

Baroness Zweidnek, wife of the Charge of the Austrian Embassy, reported the loss of a gold wrist watch to the police yesterday. The Baroness said she was wearing the watch when she left her apartments in the Burlington Friday to go to the Chevy Chase Club. On her arrival the watch was missing. It was described as a Swiss movement watch in a gold mesh bracelet. Ten dollars was the value placed on it.

Mercury Sprints to 63, But Later Drops to 52

The mercury started on the trail of the price of eggs and other precious commodities yesterday. At 8 o'clock in the morning it was hovering near the 34 mark and by 4 o'clock in the afternoon it was about 63. But it could not keep up the pace and began dropping until 10 degrees was the best it could do at 10 o'clock last night.

The weather man says the mercury will go down even lower than that today, adding this forecast: "Fair weather and brisk north-easterly winds."

EXAMINE LUMBER MEN FOR FOREIGN RESEARCH

Examinations are to be held this week in various American cities in an effort of the government to select a number of expert lumbermen to visit Europe and make a scientific study of what the lumber needs of Europe will be at the close of the war. The investigation of the future European lumber market is to be made under the direction of the Federal Trade Commission, the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce and the leading American lumber associations.

The examination is to be conducted under Civil Service rules, questions having been mailed from Washington. Last month an oral examination was held at Washington, but so few of those appearing qualified that the government deemed it wise to hold another examination by mail for men who could not come to Washington.

Experts are to be sent to Europe to find out what kinds of lumber will be wanted in what places and how much. Lumbermen are organizing export organizations. The examination papers will be sent to Washington, where they will be judged. Ten or twelve men will be selected.

BIRTH CONTROL PLEA DENOUNCED AS VULGAR

League's Executive Committee Declines to Withdraw Post Card.

The Washington Birth Control League will continue to circulate "The Jones Family Group" as a medium of propaganda, in spite of the fact that a supporter of the league has objected to the publication as "vulgar." This objection was taken at a special meeting of the executive committee of the league last night to act upon the objection of Mrs. Evelyn C. Widney, 1265 Kenyon street northwest.

"The Jones Family Group" is a cartoon drawn by K. B. Chamberlain for "The Masses," representing a careworn mother and father and their seven anemic, deformed and ill-kempt children. The cartoon reads: "Mr. Jones believes that family limitation is criminal."

This cartoon is used by the league in the form of a post card and Mrs. Widney has criticized its use. She contends that when it comes into the hands of the uninformed "the whole purpose and aim of the league is distorted and vulgarized." She believes the movement should be conducted "with the utmost dignity." The executive committee of the league decided to inform Mrs. Widney that it regrets her attitude but considers a continued use of the cartoon imperative. The committee asserts Mrs. Widney is not a member of the league.

The committee decided to arrange for an open debate on birth control.

OKLAHOMA EXHIBITION TRAIN QUILTS CAPITAL

The special exhibit train of eight coaches which stopped in Washington several days on its Eastern trip to advertise Oklahoma products, left for Pittsburgh last night after impressing many people here.

Among the interesting exhibits was a

solid block of coal weighing a ton. Oklahoma's coal supply is estimated at 4,000,000,000 tons. There were displays of petroleum by-products, cotton, grain and other products.

Headed by their band, the Oklahoma "boosters" paraded Pennsylvania avenue to the White House yesterday morning and were shown around by Secretary Tumulty.

RHEUMATISM AFTER HIS DAY'S OUTING

Hunting Trip on a Wet Day Brings Painful Results.

Once upon a time Charles Mullen, of Philadelphia, went gunning. It was a dismal rainy day, and long exposure to cold and wet brought on a severe attack of rheumatism. He was confined to his home.

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